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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.114  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION**

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 21756-012000

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Joan C. Teng et al.

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Sir:

Please enter the following amendments and remarks as a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 as part of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Claims 1-49 are currently pending.

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 8, 2005 on the above-referenced application and the Advisory Action mailed December 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 17 of this paper.